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**To:** Michael T. Parker, MaineDEP  
**From:** Stephen Landry, PE State Traffic Engineer MaineDOT  
**cc:** [Name]  
**Date:** December 28, 2015  
**Re:** Juniper Ridge Landfill, Old Town, ME

Michael,

In reviewing the information sent by on the traffic impacts of the landfill facility, I have found that an increase of 3 trips in the peak hour have minimal impacts on the roadway given the current background traffic levels. In reviewing Gorrill Palmers submittal on traffic, I can conclude that at the background levels, 1 extra trip every 20 minutes will not move the impact level enough to warrant any additional roadway mitigation. There are no high crash locations in the vicinity of this development so they will not be exacerbating any existing problem areas. The proposed volumes are still under those originally permitted for the site.

I have reviewed the existing routes and find that there are no issues from the existing hauling along the route. From what I have reviewed, I don't see any negative impacts to traffic with the expansion.

